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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Statement by DCI Concerning Operations of Foreign Intelligence Organizations in the United States

In response to several questions from <u>U.S. News and World Report</u> concerning the CIA and foreign intelligence organizations, I today provided Joe Fromm with the following statement attributable to the DCI:

"There are no agreements of any kind which give, or could even be construed as giving, foreign intelligence services license to operate illegally in the United States. Also, you know that the CIA has no internal security functions in the United States. Should the CIA somehow become aware of illegal activities undertaken by foreign intelligence agencies in this country, we would immediately notify the Justice Department and other appropriate officials or agencies of the U.S. Government."

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